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Docket No.: ZZ 5244 DIV (C015488/0122048)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Clyde E. Bishop *et al.*) Examiner: Ling Siu Choi
Serial No.: 09/823,393) Art Unit: 1713
Filed: March 30, 2001)
For: **METALLOCENE COMPOUNDS AND**)
USE THEREOF IN CATALYSTS FOR)
THE POLYMERIZATION OF OLEFINS)

New York, New York
October 15, 2004

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION INCLUDING AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 15, 2004 which set a three-month shortened statutory period for response. Accordingly, this response is filed timely upon mailing, with an executed certificate of mailing, on or before October 15, 2004. 37 CFR § 1.8. No fee is believed to be due. If it is determined that a fee is due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-4467. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Application No.: 09/823,393
Amendment Dated: October 15, 2004
Reply to Office Action Dated: July 15, 2004

Please amend the application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 9 of this paper.